

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 67

FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTIETH PARLIAMENT

THURSDAY, 17 MAY 2018

1. Meeting of Assembly

The Assembly met at 9.00 am pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

An Acknowledgement of Country and Prayers were read.

2. Petition

Police Accountability – Ms L.L. Baker presented a petition from 121 persons requesting that the Western Australia Government take action for Western Australia Police transparency and accountability (P. 86).

Regional Education Funding Cuts – Mr I.C. Blayney presented a petition from 38 persons requesting that the Legislative Assembly call upon the Premier to abolish proposed changes to regional education funding in Western Australia (P. 87).

3. Paper

The following paper was presented and ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

By the Clerk –

Auditor General, Office of the – Management of the State Art Collection: Report No. 9, May 2018 (1354).

4. Notice of Motion

5. Brief Ministerial Statements

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Minister for Veterans Issues on Unit Citations for Gallantry, for service in the Vietnam War.

The Minister for Local Government on the protection of Victoria Cross Recipients' War Graves.

The Minister for Sport and Recreation on junior fee free football at Balga Soccer Club.

The Minister for Aboriginal Affairs on an Aboriginal heritage decision at Perth Airport.

The Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests on Ramadan 2018.

The Minister for Community Services on the Salvation Army Red Shield Appeal.

The Minister for Health on the Western Australian Nursing and Midwifery Excellence Awards.

6. Grievances

The Acting Speaker called for grievances which were then made.

7. Joint Standing Committee on Delegated Legislation

Ms E.L. Hamilton, as Chair, presented the following report which was ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

Delegated Legislation, Joint Standing Committee on – Annual Report 2017, Report 10 (1355).

8. Joint Standing Committee on Delegated Legislation

Ms E.L. Hamilton, as Chair, presented the following report which was ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

Delegated Legislation, Joint Standing Committee on – Shire of Broome Parking and Parking Facilities Amendment Local Law (2) 2017, Report 11 (1356).

9. Appropriation (Recurrent 2018–19) Bill 2018 Appropriation (Capital 2018–19) Bill 2018

The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate upon the second reading of the bills was read.
Debate resumed.

Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup moved, That the word “now” be deleted and the following words be added after the word “time”:

“

after the Minister for Fisheries accepts the offer from New South Wales to supply five free smart drum lines and does more to address shark mitigation in response to the concerns of the public.

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Debate ensued.

Amendment put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (14)

Mr I.C. Blayney

Mr V.A. Catania

Ms M.J. Davies

Dr D.J. Honey

Mr P.A. Katsambanis

Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup

Mr A. Krsticevic

Mr R.S. Love

Mr J.E. McGrath

Dr M.D. Nahan

Mr D.C. Nalder

Mr D.T. Redman

Mr P.J. Rundle

Ms L. Mettam (*Teller*)

Noes (35)

Ms L.L. Baker	Mr M. McGowan	Ms M.M. Quirk
Mr J.N. Carey	Ms S.F. McGurk	Ms C.M. Rowe
Mrs R.M.J. Clarke	Mr D.R. Michael	Ms A. Sanderson
Mr R.H. Cook	Mr K.J.J. Michel	Ms J.J. Shaw
Mr M.J. Folkard	Mr S.A. Millman	Mrs J.M.C. Stojkovski
Ms J.M. Freeman	Mr Y. Mubarakai	Mr C.J. Tallentire
Ms E.L. Hamilton	Mr M.P. Murray	Mr D.A. Templeman
Mr T.J. Healy	Mrs L.M. O'Malley	Mr P.C. Tinley
Mr M. Hughes	Mr P. Papalia	Mr R.R. Whitby
Mr W.J. Johnston	Mr S.J. Price	Ms S.E. Winton
Mr D.J. Kelly	Mr D.T. Punch	Mr B.S. Wyatt
Mr F.M. Logan	Mr J.R. Quigley	

Amendment thus negatived.

Debate interrupted by the Chair and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

10. Members' Statements

The Acting Speaker called for members' statements which were then made.

11. Speaker's Statement – Advice from the Federal Minister for Foreign Affairs regarding Mr Barry Urban

The Speaker advised members that in his capacity as Chair of the Procedure and Privileges Committee, he had received a letter from the Minister for Foreign Affairs, Hon Julie Bishop MP, in response to a request for assistance from the Procedure and Privileges Committee to verify claims made by Mr Barry Urban that he had served with a UN Peacekeeping mission in Bosnia-Herzegovina. The Minister's response was read to the House.

Paper

The following paper was presented and ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

By the Speaker –

Procedure and Privileges Committee – Advice from the Federal Minister for Foreign Affairs Regarding Mr Barry Urban (1357).

12. Speaker's Statement – Darling Range By-election Date

The Speaker advised members that it was his intention to issue a writ on Tuesday, 22 May 2018 directing the Electoral Commissioner to conduct a by-election for the Darling Range electoral district. Polling day will be Saturday, 23 June 2018. The writ will also list that the last day for the nomination of candidates will be Friday, 1 June 2018 and the last day for return of the writ will be Friday, 17 August 2018.

13. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

Suspension of Member

The Speaker, having called Mr V.A. Catania to order more than three times, suspended the member from the service of the Assembly for the remainder of the sitting.

Question on Notice No. 3099 was asked.

Questions on Notice Nos 2768, 2867, 3036 and 3038 were answered.

14. Estimates Management Committee

The Leader of the House presented the Report of the Management Committee for the Estimates Committees 2018.

Paper

The following paper was presented and ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

By the Leader of the House –

Estimates Committees 2018, Management Committee for the – Report of the Management Committee for the Estimates Committees (1358).

Question proposed, That the report be adopted.

Question put and passed.

15. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That consideration of Government Business Order of the Day No. 1 be resumed.

16. Appropriation (Recurrent 2018–19) Bill 2018

Appropriation (Capital 2018–19) Bill 2018

The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate upon the second reading of the bills was read.

Debate resumed.

Question put and passed.

Appropriation (Recurrent 2018–19) Bill 2018 read a second time and the Bill and Estimates were referred to Estimates Committees A and B.

17. Appropriation (Capital 2018–19) Bill 2018

The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate upon the second reading of the bill was read.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a second time and the Bill and Estimates were referred to the Estimates Committees A and B.

18. Special Adjournment

The Leader of the House moved, That the House at its rising adjourn until Tuesday, 12 June 2018 at 2.00 pm.

Question put and passed.

19. Adjournment

The Leader of the House moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 4.56 pm until Tuesday, 12 June 2018 at 2.00 pm.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Dr A.D. Buti, Ms J. Farrer, Mr K.M. O'Donnell and Ms R. Saffioti.

KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

HON. PETER WATSON
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly